RETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME											
Confirmation No.	70.6	2648	Docket No.:	6416.US.C1 - ABB1207P1212US							
Serial No.:	JUL 2 9 2005	10/092,837	Filing Date:	March 7, 2002							
Group Art Unit:	Tar. Sur.	1743	Examiner:	Yelena G. Gakh							
Applicants:	Mark C. Bach et	al.									
Invention:	STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING A DETERMINATION OF AN ITEM OF INTEREST IN A SAMPLE										

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>June 13, 3005</u> in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

	Extension Fee Within:	First Month		Second Month		Third Month		Fourth Month			
	Large Entity:	⊠	\$120.00		\$450.00		\$1,020.00		\$1,590.00		
	Small Entity:		\$60.00		\$225.00		\$510.00		\$795.00		
Ø	A check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.										
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.										
⊠	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.										

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this document and fee (if applicable) is being deposited with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on **July 27, 2005**.

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